THE COTTON MILL MERGER

Blue Ridge and Cockade City Concerns Consolidate.

YOUNG MAN KILLS NEGRO

Heard Him Trying to Break Into the Postoffice, and When Negro Attacked Him He Shot, Killing Man Instantly.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
PETERSBURG, VA., August 8.—Deeds transferring the Blue Ridge cotton mills and the Cockade City mills to the Virginla Consolidted Milling Company have been recorded in the clerk's office in this

The Virginia Consolidated Milling Company was recently chartered with Augustus Wright president, and Tharles Hall Davis secretary. The company now owns five mills at Petersburg.

The deed transferring the Blue Ridge contains an inventory of the property transferred, which amounts to \$12,-582.91. Thei labilities amount to \$11,442.62. The price paid for the mills is \$35,000. The price of the Cockade City mills is not given. The assets of the company are given at \$55,211, and the liabilities \$36.

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Mr. Aug. Wright was the owner of the Blue Ridge mills, and Mr. Aug. Wright and R. H. Wallace, owners of the Cockade City mills.

Hugh Ennis, son of the postmaster at Reams' Stalon, in Dinwiddle county, shot and killed a negro who had attemped to enter the postoffice this morning. Young Ennis heard the negro trying to break into the office, got up and loaded his gun and went into the yard. By the ilme he was out of the door the negro ran towards him with a heavy timber. Ennis told him to stop, and as the negro continued to go towards him he fired, killing him almost instantly.

The negro was unknown. A white horse was found tied in the woods near by, and it is thought the negro intended making his escape on it.

One of the windows in the store of James F. Branch, on Bank Street, was broken last night and two pistols stolen. None of the other articles was touched.

DR. PILCHER BUSY.

Rev. Dr. J. M. Pilcher, of this city, was exceedingly busy last week, and his work will be very little lighter this week. Last Sunday he preached the sermon on the occasion of the rededication of Timber Ridge Baptist Church, in Bedford county, and raised a subscription nearly stifficient to pay off the entire indebtedress of the church, Monday he preached at Bedford City, and Tuesday attended the Strawberry Association in session at Difficult Creek Church, Bedford county. Thursday he attended the Dan River Association, in Hallfax county, and returned to Petersburg last night. He will preach at Barton Heights Church, Richmond, tu-morrow, and next week will attend several associations.

West-Street Methodist Church will carry a large exclision to West Point next Tuesday, August 11th, under the management of Mr. W. G. Owen. Mr. Owen expects many Richmond and Manchester people to go with them to West Point.

Rev. S. C. Hatcher has returned to Petersburg, after spending his vacation at Cold Sulphur Springs and Byodton, Va. Ile is in fine health and will begin his work at once as pastor of Market-Street Church, preaching at both services t

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Dr. Starr's subject to-morrow night will be "The Use and Abuse of Conscience."

E. S. Weeks, charged with killing A. J. Tudor, was acquitted in the Sussex County Court last night. A clear case of self-defense was established by Mr. W. B. McIlwaine, who defended him. Weeks formerly lived in Petersburg, and is well connected in this city.

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Young Henry Abernathy, who was shot and dangerously wounded by his uncle in Brunswick county last week. Is now dangerously ill at the hospital in this city, Peritonitis has developed from the wound in the abdomen.

Mrs. H. Noltenius continues exceedingly ill

FERSONALS.

The Phoenix Sunday-school-class of H gh Street Methodist Church will run an excursion to Ocean View. Thursday, August 27th. This class having grown in numbers so by the recent contest, that it has been made necesary for the class to have fitted up for them a room in the rear of the church, and have also had installed a fine plane, this exhad installed a fine piano, this ex-cursion is run to pay off this indebtedness. The Misses Carter, of this city, accompanied by Miss Pearl Oakley and Miss Julia Daracott, of Brandon, are attend-Julia Daracott, of Brandon, are attend-ing a "house pary" at "Westwood," in Hanover county, the county home of Messrs. Richard and William Darracott. Manover county, the county home of Messrs, Richard and William Darracoti, Miss Helen Gary, of Richmond, is visit-ing friends in the city. Misses Mary and Ethel Plicher have gone to the country on a visit to friends. Mr. S. A. Mann, the well known bar-her, is sick with fever at his home, in Matonca.

Matonca. Mr. Mac Minetree, of Washington, is visiting Mr. George Payne, on Jefferson Mrs. James H. Shortt and children left

to-day to spend the rest of the summe with relatives in Dinwiddle county.

THE GUESTS AT AFTON

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Parties at Private Homes.

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

AFTON, VA., August S.—The hotels
end private boarding places at Afton are
well filled with guests from many cities;
the larger number, however, are from
Richmond, Va.

Among the guests recently registered at
the Afton House are Misses Rusha and
Mignon Mills, of Baltimore; Mrs. J. T.
Vaughan, Miss Mabel Vaughan, Mr. and
Mrs. Baylor Hill, of Richmond; Mrs. T.
C. Sykes and the Misses Sykes, of Portsmouth: Mrs. L. H. Jenkins, Richmond; Miss
Ellen Jenkins, Richmond; Miss Grace
Jenkins, Richmond; Miss Alfred Jenkins,
Richmond; Miss Alfred Jenkins,
Richmond; Miss Alfred Jenkins,
Richmond; Miss Alfred Jenkins,
Richmond; Miss Miriam, Briggs,
Richmond; Miss Miriam, Briggs,
Richmond; Miss M. L. Kilgore, Richmond;
Miss M. L. Kilgore, Richmond; Mr. and
Miss J. J. McHenry, Louisville; L. M.
McHenry, Louisville; Mrs. J. D. Leckey,
Richmond; J. D. Leckey, Jr., Richmond;
Miss Mary Rose Ryan, Richmond; Miss
Margaret Ryan, Richmond; Miss Louise
Ryan, Richmond; Mrs. Floyd Tyler, Richmond; Miss Maud Trevvett, Glen Allen;
Miss Aness Kelty, Richmond, Mr. and nd; Miss Maud Trevvett, Glen Allen mond; Miss Maud Trevvott, Glen Allen, Miss Aspas Kelty, Richmond; Mr. and Mrs. John Hart and family, Richmond; P. M. Whitaker and family, Richmond; Miller, Brooklyn; W. C. Hull, Richmond; Miller, Brooklyn; W. C. Hull, Richmond; Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Levy, and family, Richmond; William L. Brown, New York; Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Levy, Goldsboro; H. Bangs and wife, Chicago; J. Frauk Senton and wife, Baltimore; and its origin is unknown.

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Mrs. T. B. Griffith and family, Porismouth; Miss Grace Bidgood, Portsmouth; E. C. Greenway, New York; B. E. Kelley, New York; J. T. Carneal, Richmond, Miss Mamine Hunt, Richmond, Va.; L. H. Jenkins, Richmond; Miss Annetta Tyler, Richmond; Miss Reba Tyler, Richmond; R. L. Schell, Lock Haven, Pa.; C. W. Smith, Lock Haven, Pa.; S. Kistley, Lock Haven, Pa.

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Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Scott, of Richmond, are entertaining an attractive
house party at the "Royal Orchard,"
their lovely summer home.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Corbett are also entertaining a house party from Baltimore
at "Elsham," their lovely little cottage
home near Afton.

At the "Kirby House" are Mrs. Churchhill Graves, Mrs. Herbert Francis, Miss
Virginia Francis, Mr. and Mrs. Wyant,
Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Arnette, Mrs. Ella
Fenson, Miss Iren Fensom and Mr. T.
Hall, all of Richmond, Va.

At "Locust Dale" are Mrs. Douglas
MacGregor and family, of Richmond;
Messrs. Will and John Goodloe, of Big
Stone Gap; Mr. Henry Goodloe, of Blacksburg, and Mr. Tavenor Lipscombe, of
Charlottesville.

FRANKLIN COUNTY POLITICS

Only One Candidate for Senate and He Is for Martin.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) ROCKY MOUNT, VA., Aug. 8.-The Democrats of this (Frankllin county) will hold a primary August 21st, to nominate candidates for county and district offices and for the House of Delegates and Sen-

ate of Virginia.

Dr. J. E. Kean, of Sago, near the Pittsylvania line, an original Swanson man, will be the nominee for the Senate, without opposition, no one having filed notice with the county chairman of his candidacy except Keen. Keen is favorable to Senator Martin being his own successor.

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The candidates for the House from
Franklin are R. S. Brown, S. W. B.
Hale, John H. Bannett, W. S. Garrett.
There are three candidates for shoriff—
Nucholson, Chapman, Jeter,
Divers, present incumbent, has no opposition for treasurer.

W. L. Lee and H. M. Dillard are
the candidates for Commonwealth's attorney.

There is no election for clerk; the clerk

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There is no election for clerk; the clerk having made arrangements to hold over next regular election, under a provision of the new Constitution.

The people, as well as the candidates, are very much opposed to the primary system of nominating candidates.

Rocky Mount is becoming quite a popular summer resort. Deyarles, seven miles out from town, an old-fashioned country home, where old-time Virginia hospitality is dispensed, has a number of guests from Mississippi and Louisiann and from different portions of this State.

Hotel Rocky Mount, in a beautiful grove with its now hotel and cottages, is attracting many summer visitors.

An alfresco entertaliment will be held on the lawn in front of Judge Saunders' teautiful nome on Monday evening next. His Henor, Judge Saunders, is holding court at satham. The old accumulated cases in his court in every county in his district have been disposed of and he will begin as judge of the new system of court in January with a clean sheet.

At the next election in this municipality, the people will adopt the dispensary system of handling liquor.

— man was lodged in jail last night for beating his paramore almost little in Richiems.

The basis of the recent strike in Rich-The basis of the recent strike in Richmond and the manner of its conduct has prejudiced ma we people heretofore favorable to organized labor against the union. The crops in this county are luxuriant and the earth has brought forth abundantly of her fruits in season. The Republicans have just given notice that on September 7th, they will nominate candidates for county and district offices and for Senate and the House of Delegates.

TWILIGHT SPECIALS

Excursions Going to Beach Park This Week-Two Tn-Day.

This Week—Two To-Day.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
Two big excursions will go to Beach
Park this wek—one from West Street
Church Petersburg, and the other from
Denny-Street Church, Fulton.
The street-car men will also carry a
big crowd down to the pleasant resort.
These are in addition to the regular
Twilight Specials that are run every afternoon by the Beach Park Company.
As a nearby sait water resort Beach
Park has gained the favor of thousands
of Richmonders who go there because
it is a short, quick trip down and back,
with all the attractions that go with
sait air, sait water bathing, boating and
soa-food meals.
Two trains go down to-day—at 9:30 A.

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At Old Point.

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

OLD POINT, VA. August 8.—A number of dinners were given before the hope at the Chamberlin last Saturday evening.

Mrs. Annie L. Mayes gave one and Dr. Bogges, of the quarantine ship Jamestown, entertained Miss Burton, of Lewes, Del.; Miss Bogges, of Greensville, O.; Mrs. Francis W. Brown and Miss Lucy Brown, of Old Point; Miss Ruth Cummins, Capitain Haines and Lieutenants Richard Ellis, Edward Hill and Robert McMillan, of Fort Monroe.

Among the recent arrivals at the Chambert McMillan are Mrs. George D. Monroe.

and Mrs. George D. Jones, Miss Mr. and Mrs. George D. Jones, Miss Margaret Jones, Miss Janet McDonald, and Miss Llia McDonald, Columbus, O.; James Lyons, Buckingham, Va.; Levin Joynes, Richmond, Mrs. William P. Lanner, and Miss Lanner, Baltimore; Mrs. D. W. Gray, Glyndon, Md.; Miss Aliene Ridges, Ashland, Va.; Mrs. Edward Simpson, Baltimore; A. T. Brock, Richmond, Mr. and Mrs. John McCabe, Miss C. W. Dashiell and Miss M. M. Dashiell, Baltimore; Mrs. B. C. Mayer and Miss Florence Mayer, Richmond; D. H. Carrol, Mrs. R. M. McCauley; and Miss Getrude Kennedy, Richmond; D. H. Carrol, Mrs. R. M. McCauley; and Miss F. M. McCauley; and Miss F. M. McCauley; Baltimore; Edward Morris and Miss Rose Morris, Baltimore,

Carrying Concealed Weapons.

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
LOUISA. VA., August S.-Arthur and
William Meeks, young white men from
Fluyanna, were fined \$32.70 each by Magistrate G. D. M. Hunter here this evening for having pistols in their possession
at a lawn party last night, near Macedonia Church.

It seems that one or the other fired
off his pistol in the crowd, but there
was no evidence as to which one did
the shooting, hence the fine only for concealed weapons.

Porter and Gates to-day sold the J. E.
Jackson place to G. M. Turner for \$1,300.

FOR CIRCUS

To Be Given on Saturday August 29th.

LIST OF THE CLOWNS

Many Prominent Men Will Take Part in the Performance-Captain Frank Cunningham is

Ringmaster.

poned on account of the strike, is to be given at the Horse Show building Saturday, the 29th of this month. There will be matinee and night performances. The announcement of the date of the entertainment as finally settled, has been residerable disappointment manifested when it was decided that conditions existing as a result of the strike made a postponement necessary, as the public's interest and curlosity as to the event had reached a white heat when it was finally concluded to delay the exhibition.

Every act as arranged for the programme in July, will be presented on the 29th. The Great De Van, whose aerial act is one of the most astounding feats now before the public, will appear at both performances, having been engaged Lorraine brothers, acrobats and gymnasts, another act secured from professiona

Some of the most prominent men is the city are to ener the arena as clowns, and Captain Frank W. Cunningham will do the honors as ringmaster.

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LIST OF THE CLOWNS.

Tse clowns are as tollows: Charles H.
Phillips, T. B. Hicks, George Pollock,
William H. Allen, Lonine Wilson, Hon. S.
L. Keiley, C. O. Saville, Hugh Mercer,
William H. Thompson, Luther Cheatwood,
Sam Cook, Albert O. Boschen, Harry C.
Glenn, E. E. Davis, W. T. Hurt, Lee
Lorraine, Isaac Held, Harry Tucker,
Thomas J. Farley, Young Porter, Herbert
Hulce, Leonard Noel.

When the amateur circus was given at
the auditorium a little over two years
ago, it made a tremendous hit. Something
of the impression that performance made
and it was under the same management

and it was under the same management as the forthcoming event, may be conveyed from the following extract from the notice of Mr. Herbert Duce.

It was a one-ring circus.

Around the piled up sawdust in the mid dle of the Auditorium, and beneath the intermittent blaze of a dozen or more arc lights, three thousand people sat and drank in the mild delights of as pretty a circus as ever was seen. The climax a circus as ever was seen. The climax of the performance was an Imre Kiralfy spectacle on the stage that erewhile was

spectacle on the stage that erewhile was used for vaudeville and other things—but that was merely an incident of the remarkable bill.

Of course it was a burlesque—it was never intended for anything else; and how the people laughed! One woman who sat near me, presumed on a very slight acquaintance to slap me three times upon the leg in the excess of her merriment, and others held their sides and shrieked with glee. with glee.
Only the nimble acrobats who perform

Only the nimble acrobats who performed some really remarkable feats took themselves in earnest; for the rest it was as merry an entertainment as Richmond has seen for many moons.

The slack-wire performance of Clinton Boyd was very clever, and the club swinging of the Sales is equal to anything seen on the professional stage. Iardella's Bandplayed until the collars of every one of the musicians lay flat upon their shoulders.

the musicians lay flat upon their shoulders.

Frank Cunningham, the ring master, were tights and a long whip, the passive and active habiliments of his office. He had donned also the air of a genuine ring-master, and was altogether indispensable. "It wouldn't be possible," said some one sitting near me, "for Richmond to do anything with out 'our Frank," and so it wouldn't.

A BRIGHT PADTICULAR FEATURE, "The recognized queen of the arena"—she burst upon us like a beautiful vision, clad in pink tights with green bathing drawers, and a beautiful filmy, fluffy skirt. She were also a nicely developed Lionde moustache, and her steed was a magnificent white horse from the stubles of the fire department. On the doughty Arabian, she gambolled and stood and leaped into the air, and the applause was deafening.

Alec Meyer, the trick donkey, and a bucking broncho, provided other feats of equestrian entertainment, here were general exercises on the horizontal and parallel bars, and there

there were general exercises on the horizontal and parallel bars, and there were a dozen or more clowns who were busy all the time making the people laugh. There were Montague and Swanson peanuts, and City Hall lemonade as variations to the other forms of entertalnment. and after it all, the inevitable circus count which was decidedly better than the cert, which was d regulation affair.

regulation affair.

It was all very novel and delightful, and served the dual purpose for which it was intended—the benefit of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children and the amusement of a great audience. It is undoubtedly a remarkable achievement for amateurs, and the fact that it was carried to such a successful issue reflects great credit on its promoters as well as on the performers.

MUSIC IN PARKS

Programme to Be Rendered By the Band This Week.

Following is the programme for con-certs in the parks by lardella's Band for the week from August 19th to 15th, inclusive: 1. March, "Chicago Tribune," Cham-

1. March, "Chicago Tribune." Chambers.
2. Overture, "Stradella," Flotow,
3. Bouquet of Andrew Mack's Popular Songs, containing "Mary Carey Born in Tipperary," "Story of the Rose," "Mack's Serenade," "Eyes of Blue." "Little Tommy Murphy," "For Freedom and Ireland," Mack.
4. Selection from "Florodora," (by request) Stuart.
5. Chillan Dance, "Manana," (by request), Missud.
6. Gems from the Opera "Edwanl," Verdi,
7. Grand Scene des Huguenots, "La Benediction des Poignards," (by request) Meberbeer,

Meberbeer, 8. Waltz, "Dream on the Ocean,"

Gungl.

9. March and Two Step, "A Little Boy in Blue," introducing "Tis Hard to Leave Your Girl Behind," arranged by Leave Your Girl Behind," arranged by Chattaway. Monday, Chimborazo Park, 8:30 to 10:30 P. M. Tuesday, Jefferson Park, 8:30 to 10:30 P. M.

. M. Wednesday, Gamble's Hill Park, 8:30 to Thursday, Monroe Square, 8:30 to 10:30

FINE MUSIC AT THE FIRST BAPTIST

The music at the First Baptist Church this morning promises to be most enjoyable. Miss Annie Louise Reinhardt will play a violin solo, and Professor O. F. Fugh, a fine tenor, who is now assisting Dr. Munhail in his special services, will be serviced by the service of the church will sing twice-first, "God Shall Wipe Away All Tears," by Evans, and after the service, "The Way of the Cross," solo and male quartette. The regular quartette of the church will sing "Seek Ye the Lord," by Roberts. Professor Watson, the organist, will play Handel's Largo and the chorus of Piligrims, by Wagner, Dr. Edward B. Pollard, an old Richmond boy, now pastor of a church in Kentucky, will preach! The music at the First Baptist Church

preach!
The following programme will be rendered:

Old Hundren, Invocation, Hymn-Jesus, Thou Joy of Loving Hearts. Scripture Reading. Quartette-Seek Ye the Lord.....Roberts. Church Choir,

Offertory-Violin solo, "Berceuse," Godar Offertory-Volla Solor Reinhardt.

Miss Annie Louise Reinhardt.

Tenor solo-"God Shall Wipe Away All
"Faare". Evans.

of the Cross."
Professor Pugh, soloist.
Hymn-"Oh, For a Closer Walk With

Benediction. Organ-Pilgrims' Chorus......Wagner MR. VINES CALLED

May Take Dr. Blackwell's Church · Wilmington, N. C.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
WILMINGTON, N. C., Aug. 8.—Rev.
W. M. Vines, pastor of the First Baptist Church, of Asheville, N. C., has been called to the pastorate of the First Bap

tist Church, of this city, to succeed Rev. Calvin G. Blackwell, who accepted a jastorate in Norfolk.

Rev. Mr. Vines is at present spending his vacation in Chattanooga, Tenn., and will not make known his decision until he returns home, which will be within the next ten days. Dr. Vines is one of the ablest preachers in the Southern Baptist Church. Recently he visited Willimmington and made a profound impression on the Baptists as well as members of other denominations of this city. It is believed that he will accept the call.

Elegant Entertainment.

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

ESMONT, VA., Aug. S.—The beautiful and hospitable country home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Lane, near Esmont, Va., was the scene of kayety and enjoyment on Wednesday evening, August 5th, at an informal social gathering, held in honor of Miss Laura A. Tartar, of Rural Retreat, Va. Among the young people present were Misses Laura A. Tartar, of R.—Retreat; Mary A. and Florence H. Lane, of Esmont; Ajelon P. Earman, of Orange, Va.; Deisy E. Williams, of Raleigh, N. C., and Mrs. C. W. Lane, of Warren, Va.; Prof. Albert J. Shepherd, of Miller School; Dr. A. A. Sizer, of Esmont; Messrs. S. A. Allen, of Warren; T. B., and F. L., Leckle, of Glendower, and W. S. and C. R. Dorrier, of Scottsville.

The evening was spent in playing "flinch" and other games, and all present had a most enjoyable time. Miss Laura Tartar and Mr. T. B. Leckle were the most successful "flinch" players.

A supper of choicest delicacies was served during the evening.

Sunday-School Convention.

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

EUREKA MILLS, VA., Aug. 8.—The annual session of Charlotte county Interdenomination Sunday-school Convention was held at Bethlehem Presbyterian Church last Wednesday and Thursday. Delegates from thirty schools were in attendance. The subjects for discussion were of absorbing interest, and were ably handled by those taking part in the discussions. The people attended in large numbers. The old officers were re-elected as follows: President, Andrew J. Terry; vice-president, Norman L. Shaw; secretary, Lee W. Morton; treasurer; Frank C. Thornton. The next session will be held at Trinit; Methodist Church, Keysville.

Lewis G. Bell's Funeral.

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
LYNCHBURG, VA. Aug. 8.—The funeral services of the late Lewis G. Bell took place this afternoon at St. Zaul's Church, and were conducted by Rev. J. M. Owens, the paster. The interment was at Spring Hill Cemetery, and the Masonic services at the grave were in charge of Hill City Lodge of Masons.

Among those who attended the funeral were the members of Hill City Lodge and of De Molay Commandery, No. 4; also the Council, the vestry of St. Paul's Church and the employes of the J. P. Bell Company.

Safe-Blowers Captured

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
B. STOL. TENN. Aug. S.—Richard
blowers, have been captured at Elizabethton, Tenn. and are in jill awaiting itentification. Detective Wright, of the Bailwin Detective Agency, was here to-day on
his way to take charge of the prisoners.
He stated that the men were wanted for
blowing a number of safes along the
Norfolk and Western Railway.
When captured, Morgan had burglars'
keys and explosives on his person.

Mr. Turnbu'l Resigns.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
LAWRENCEVILLE, VA., Aug. 8.—Edward R. Turnbull, Jr., has resigned as clerk of the County Court, his resigned to the County Court, his resignation to take effect September 1st. Mr. Turnbull will practice law in the future. He was appointed clerk about two years ago to fill the unexpired term of Mr. J. R. Rawlings, deceased.

Verdict for \$495.

The jury in the Law and Equity Coury yesterday awarded a verdict for \$495 to Mrs. W. H. Tyler against the Passenger and Power Company. She sued for \$10,000 for injuries received in falling from a

DOES YOUR Husband Drink? "ORRINE"

Will Surely and Permanently Cure Him, Without his Knowledge.

Him, Without his Knowledge.

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POLK MILLER CHILDREY CO., 01 East Broad, Corner First Street, POLK MILLER DRUG CO.,

P. M. Friday, Libby Hill Park, 8:30 to 10:30 TO THE WOMEN OF THE UNITED STATES Baturday, Reservoir Park, 5 to 7 P. M. TO THE WOMEN OF THE UNITED STATES

SUCCESSFUL HOME TREATMENT.

Dr. Hartman's Cure for Female Diseases===A Generous Offer to Women. Invalid Women Are Applying by Thousands for Dr. Hartman's Free Home Treatment by Letter.

M RS. J. P. COADY, Treasurer of the Ivy Leaf Club, 1702 6th Avenue, Council Bluffs, Jowa, writes: "Peruna is no experimental medicine. I have used it off and on now for three years. At that time I was cured of irregular and painful menstruation. Since that time I have taken it for indigestion or whenever I felt overworked and in need of a tonic, and I have always found that it was of great benefit to me. I am therefore pleased and happy to say a word in its praise and shall gladly indores it to my friends."—Mrs. J. P. Coady.

Coady. Miss Hattle Grace, 254 West 46th St.,

New York, writes:

"Peruna has changed me from a fretful, irritable, nervous woman into a
healthy and happy one. Nothing seems
to worry and to fret me any more. Since
early womanhood I suffered with bearing-down pains and nervousness. I was
thin and worried, but Peruna restored
me. Those who knew me before chinnot
understand the change, but I can sum It
all up in the blessed word, Peruna."—
Wattle Grace. all up in the Hattle Grace.

Mrs. Elizabeth Ferguson, No. 181 51st St., Brooklyn, N. Y., President West

Brooklyn Audubon Society, writes:

"I am pleased to tell what a blessing
Peruna has been to me. Several years
ago my constitution seemed broken down
and I cared little whether I lived or died.
I had taken so much medicine that the
sight of a bottle made me sick. I had
read about Peruna curing women, and I
thought perhaps it would help me. I
bought a bottle, and before I was finished
I felt better. I kept on taking It, and
after three months' faithful use I was a
well woman and able to do the work and
undergo the strain of younger days,"—
Elizabeth Ferguson.

In view of the great multitude of wo-Brooklyn Audubon Society, writes:

summer months without charge.

The treatment will be conducted by correspondence. The doctor will prescribe all medicines, applications, hygienic and dietary regulations necessary to complete a cure. The medicines prescribed can be obtained at all drug stores. This offer will hold good only during the summer months. Any woman can become a regular patient by sending a written statement of her age, condition of life, history and symptoms of her derangements.

of her derangements.

All cases of female diseases, including menstrual irregularities, displacements, ulcerations, inflammations, discharges, irritation of the ovaries, tumors and dropsy of the abdomen, should apply at once and become registered as regular

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patients. All correspondence will be held strictly confidential.

As is well known, Dr. Hartman is the president of The Hartman Sanitarium, an institution which has a department devoted exclusively to the treatment of female diseases. He is thus brought to see thousands of such cases every year, the most of whom return to their homes to be treated by correspondence. The principal remedy he relies upon in such cases is Peruna, which every woman should have who has any affection of this kind. Those wishing to become patients should address Dr. S. B. Hartman, Columbus, Ohio.

No one knows better than Dr. Hartman's sympathy for such is unbounded, and his willingness to help them limited only to his power.

UNVEILING

TO-MORROW

Bronze Confederate Statue at Chesterfield C. H.—Greater Occasion Abandoned.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) CHESTERFIELD, VA., August 8.—The 2d of September, which for two months planned for by the people of Chesterfield. seems destined to pass quietly here as any seems destined to pass quietly here as any ordinary day, for if present plans materialize the unveiling of the Confederate soldiers' monument here instead of being on the above date will take place on next Monday. Inasmuch as the 2d of September has been officially announced as the day of unveiling decided upon by the Monument Executive Committee, and a great day of enjoyment has been promised and planned for, there is a felling of disappointment in many hearts over the heiligence that on Monday in a modest way, before perhaps a couple of hundred people instead of the throng that imagination had pictured, the silent solimagination had pictured, the silent sol-dier on the top of the granite pile will be stripped of his shroud and bared to the breezes of Heaven. The determination to hasten the unwelling and bring the mat-ter to an end on Monday has not been one of impulse, but is the result of much

one of impulse, but is the result of intended deliberation.

From the first the matter of arranging for the accommodation and pleasure of perhaps several thousand people has been looked upon by those who expected the bulk of the work as a huge and dreaded undertaking, and as the time fixed upon drew nearer the burden begun to increase until the magnitude of the underaking has impelled the Managing Committee to abandon its plans for a great day in September, and have the ceremony of unveiling in a simple way before a modeate crowd of county citizens.

as heretofore planned the expense and trouble of entrtaining th visiting camps and other invited guests would be great, and the brunt of the burden would fall on comparatively a few people, and they would be those who contributed most largely of their means and time for the ction of the memorial but lately com-

pleted.

Monday has been selected by the W. B. Wooldridge Chunp of Confederate Veterans of this county as the day for holding a meeting and sort of pienic here, and being County Court day a good-sized crowd will doubtless be on hand, so that, having cancelled their first plans, the day seems a very fitting one for the Monument Association to perform its last service in giving to the county and to the public its tribute to the memory of our heroes of the civil war, Judge John H. Ingram, of Manchester, who was to have addressed the veterans' camp, will deliver an address to the crowd on Monday afternoon, which will be the occasion for the pulling of the monument to the softiers of Chesterfield county and Manchester. The monufent, as it now stands, has been very much admired, and, considering the moderate cost of its erection, will compare favorably with many of the handsome memorials that have been erected in our larger towns. Allowing a little over six feet for the hronze figure on its summit, the total height is upwards of thirty feet.

It is built of bluish-gray granite from the quarries at Granite, in Chesterfield county, is octagon-shaped, measuring nearly thirty feet in circumference at the base, and gracefully tapering from a point five feet above. The designer of the monument is Mr. Monday has been selected by the W.

The election of this officer was poststone, twenty-two feer above.
The designer of the monument is Mr.
George Paul, of Manchester.
A quarterly meeting of the stewards
and officials of the North Chesterfield Circuit of the Methodist Church will be held
in Trinity Church here on next Sunday
and Monday. The business part of the

Monday morning.

Miss Sadie Gray, of West Point, Va.,
s here on a visit to her sister, Mrs. A. M.

Theatham.

Miss Emma Perdue, of Manchester, is righting at Miss Belle Pilkinton's home, Castlewood. Castlewood.
Miss Annie Emerick is home again after her stay in Charlottesville attending the Summer School of Methods.
Mr. Upton Smith is on a visit to his

Miss Mary Cogbill will leave to-morrow for a visit to Miss Nannie Brooks, at Skinquarter. Mrs. N. V. Clayton and two children Mrs. N. V. Clayton and two children, who have recently been stopping here with members of their family, have left for a visit to Mrs. J. V. Burgess, near Mendowville.

Mr. Alden Du Val is ill with typhoid fever at his home near Centralla.

B. SMITH RENOMINATED Contracts Let for Two Modern Stee Bridges Across the Shenandoah. (Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

ourn Smith has been declared the Democratic nominee to succeed himself as the member of the Legislature, representing the counties of Clarke and Warren. This is equivalent to an election, as the dis-

in equivalent to an election, as the district is overwhelmingly Democratic.

Mr. Smith made an enviable reputation in the last Legislature, and that he gave his constituents satisfaction is evidenced by his having no opposition for the nominaton.

At a meeting of the

At a meeting of the Board of Super-visors of Clarke county held on Thursday of this week the contract for the erec-tion of two steel bridges to span the Shenandoah River at Castleman's and Berry's Ferries, in this county, was awarded to Nelson & Buchanan, of Cham-hersburg. Pa

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These bridges will be constructed almost entirely of steel, after the most approved plan of modern bridge building, and will be of great value to the county. The contract price was \$30,000.

While threshing wheat for Mr. W. C. R. Tapscott yesterday the engine used by Mr. C. K. Sowers to operate the threshing machine set fire to the straw, and engine, threshing machine, wheat and straw were consumed. This is the second machine Mr. Sowers has lost in a similar manner within a year.

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BON AIR, VA., Aug. 8.—Mr. Polk Miller, with his negro quartette, gave a most charming entertaliment at the Bon Air payillon last Friday night for the benefit of the Hazen Memorial Library of Bon Air. A great crowd greeted Mr. Miller-people from Manchester and the stations along the line of the Southern Railroad and the country districts about Bon Air—till the large payillon was almost filled. As an entertainer, Mr. Miller continues to be the same clarming 'Poik Miller,' even to those who have heard him in the same role before; the large audience itse Friday night aitesting his unwaning popularity. Noarty sixty dollars were added to the library fund by the entertainment.

Cecella Yachting Club.

An important meeting of the Cecella Yachting Club has been arranged for tomorrow night, at the residence of Mr.
John Roscher, No. 311 North Nineteenth
Street, This meeting is of the utmost
importance to the members, and each
one is sarnestly requested to be present,
as the plans for the trip down the river
are to be completed.

Eastern Hospital Board. (Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

WILLIAMSBURG, VA., August 8.—The Board of Directors of the Eastern State Hospital met yesterday and re-elected all of the old officers except the assistant physician.
The election of this officer was postponed until the next meeting.

BRICKLAYERS ON A STRIKE

Contractors Stop All Work and Will Resist to the

Last-Stock Losses. (Special to The Times-Dispatch.) DURHAM, N. C., August 8.-To-day ended the first week of the only organized strike that ever occurred here during the history of the town, at least the only strike of any consequence. One week ago the union bricklayers of the city quit work, and to-day the situation remains

unchanged; the strikers are still walking the streets and the contractors say that they will never give in. The strike in many respects is a unquie one. The demands of the bricklayers are really of no importance, since they simply ask for nine hours' work at nine nours' pay. But the contractors know that other demands are to follow within few months at most, and the fight now

a few months at most, and the fight now is to settle the matter. The strikers simply want a recognition of their union, and the demand for shorter hours and shorter pay was made to ascertain what would be the consequence.

As a result of the strike work on a number of large buildings is at a stand-still. The contractors say that they are in no hurry to push the work and affirm that when they get ready to push the work they will get plenty of labor. The strikers are equally firm in the statement that they will win the strike. From appearances the contractors have simply ment that they will win the strike. From appearances the contractors have simply decided to let up on all work and walt their good time to resume building. There are several very large brick storage houses being erected for the American

their good time to resume building. There are several very large brick storage houses being erected for the American Tobacco Company, and since that company does not wish the union recognized the contractors have been told to "sit still and saw wood," and that they shall lose nothing by waiting.

For several days there has been talk that the carpenters and other unions in the city would come out in a systematic strike, but nothing of this kind has developed. A resolution of sympathy from the carpenters is all that has been done yet. The statement is made, however, that there are two thousand union men in the city and that they are in sympaty with the brick masons.

It looks now as if it will be quite a leng time before the matter is brought to an end, that is, if the strikers wish to wait for the contractors to make the final move. Four of the leading builders in the city say that they will cover their wails and sit at home a year before they will grant the demand of the bricklayers and recognize the union.

During the recent slump in the stock market a number of Durham people have lost for how much they lost is not obtainable. Most of the lossers have been trading in Virginia-Carolina Chemical, and those who were able have purchased the stock ourlight and locked it up to protect themselves. Many of the smaller fry, from a few hundred to a thousand dollar kind, are said to have lost what they had saved. The heavy speculators are yet in the market, at least they have their stock paid for and are awaiting developments.

A new lodge of Odd-Fellows has been instituted here. Last night Grand Secretary B. H. Woodell, of Raleigh, assisted the Golden Lirk Lodge here in installing a new lodge in East Durham. The lodge starts off with some thirty-dve members.

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BLUEFIELD. W. VA., Aug. S.—Gaston Housker, it years old, son, of James C. Honaker, of Rocky Gap, while hathing, was drowned in Walker's Creek yesterday. His younger brother ran to the fields where men were working, and they rushed to the symming hole, but could not save him.